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# PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

## UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

### *Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for week ended September 5, 1903.*

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue, at San Francisco, under date of September 7, being record of work in Chinatown for week ended September 5, 1903:

#### Reinspection of Chinatown:

Buildings.....	150
Rooms .....	1,100
Persons.....	1,099

#### Reinspection of Latin Quarter:

Buildings.....	92
Rooms .....	553
Persons .....	532

Sick inspected: (Chinese, 26; Latin quarter, 4).....	30
Sick seen and prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary.....	8
Dead examined: Chinese.....	1
Necropsies .....	1
Rats bacteriologically examined.....	39
Number showing pest infection.....	0
Places limed and disinfected .....	880
Times streets swept .....	3
Sewers flushed .....	24

### *Report on rats from city wharf and Chinese, Japanese, and Latin quarters examined during the week ended August 29, 1903.*

The following is received from Assistant Surgeon Currie, through Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue:

Number of rats caught alive .....	27
Number found dead .....	10
Number showing lesions of phosphorous poisoning .....	0
Number showing pest infection .....	0

#### *Inspection service, Mexican border.*

*El Paso, Tex.*—Acting Assisting Surgeon Alexander reports, August 29, 1903, as follows: Week ended August 29, 1903. Mexican Central passengers inspected, 190; Rio Grande and Pacific passengers in-